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Farmers block Expressway demanding underpass

Traffic on Mysuru-Bengaluru NH-275 held up for four hours; Police resort to lathi charge

Srirangapatna, Feb. 20 (Vinay Karekura&BCT) - Over 400 farmers of Hanakere near Mandya blocked the busy Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway (National Highway 275) in a flash protest today demanding the construction of an underpass to facilitate their smooth movement on the access-controlled and tolled road.

The road block began at around 8.30 in the morning and farmers had brought many bullock carts and placed them across the road blocking the journey towards Bengaluru and towards Mysuru.

The bullock carts were made to stand across the road at many frequent intervals and this caused massive traffic jams on both sides of the Expressway that extended to many kilometres on either side.

Farmers use bullock carts to block Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway at Hanakere near Mandya this morning.

The Police, who were caught unaware of the flash protest, tried to convince the irate villagers and farmers to move but they did not budge.

As a result of *rasta roko*, traffic was held up on the busy road from 8.30 am to 12 noon.

Vehicles were stranded up to more than 20 kilometres on the Highway. The Police finally resorted to a lathi charge to disperse the agitating farmers and villagers.

As the vehicular traffic lined up on the Expressway, the jurisdictional Mandya and Maddur Police made alternative arrangements through Maddur, K.M. Doddi and Malavalli.

Vehicles that had already reached Hanakere from both sides, however, had to wait for long hours in the scorching heat.

Though some of the protesters were cleared from the road at noon by force, the bullock carts and the animals were stranded on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway, making the job of the Police even tougher.

Later, the Police managed to clear the Highway at around 12.30 pm but the agitating farmers were seen regrouping in spite of their leaders being arrested.

Villagers of Hanakere, Mallayyanadoddi, Bore and surrounding areas in Mandya District have been demanding an underpass as the Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway hampered their movement from one side to another and due to this, they had to take a longer and circuitous route to reach their destinations.

(See FARMERS on page 7)

Will any heritage lover get this plant removed?

Mysuru, Feb. 20 (OSR) - At the junction of Shivaji Road, N.R. Mohalla and Mysuru-Bengaluru Main Road, there is a beautiful fountain of nearly a century old. The artistically designed fountain is one of the oldest fountains in Mysuru and is of historic importance too. It is named the 'Elgin Fountain'.

Since about a month, a shrub (plant) is seen growing luxuriously at its foot *(see picture)* which, if allowed to grow, may damage and even destroy the very foundation of that fountain.

Those responsible to maintain this heritage fountain may please pay attention to it and remove the plant, says one of the ardent readers of *Star of Mysore*.

Initially erected at the present K.R. Circle (near Lansdowne building), it was called the 'Elgin Fountain' in honour of the visit of Lord Elgin, the Viceroy, to Mysore on November 20, 1895. The fountain was shifted from there (K.R. Circle) to the Dhanvanthri Road Circle where Dewan's Road meets after the statue of Krishnaraja Wadiyar IV was installed there by the Mysuru City Corporation.

Following relocating of the fountain, the Circle at the junction of Dhanvanthri Road and Dewan's Road came to be known as the 'Fountain Circle.'

But, the fountain was again shifted from there to the present place on the Bengaluru-Mysuru Road, at the approach to Mysuru City, and the Circle was named 'Rajendra Prasad Circle' to mark the maiden visit of Dr. Rajendra Prasad, the first President of India, by the MCC by passing a resolution.

To Our Readers

Turn to Page-6 for Abracadabra titled ***'A Museum for Gen. Thimayya in Kodagu -1.'*** **—Ed**

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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Monday 20th February 2023

Memorial music concert at Ganabharathi tomorrow

Mysuru, Feb. 20 - Ganabharathi has organised a music concert in memory of **Vidushi H. S. Mahalakshmi and Vidushi H.S. Yadhugiri** on Feb. 21 at 6 pm at Veene Seshanna Bhavana, Kuvempunagar in city. There will be Nudinamana by city artistes and Naadarpana by disciples of Vidu. H.S. Mahalakshmi.

Dialysis Centres at all Revenue Divisions by month end: Minister Dr. Sudhakar

Bengaluru, Feb.20 (KMS& TRR)- Health and Medical Education Minister Dr. K. Sudhakar has said that Dialysis Centres will be started across the four Revenue Divisions of the State by this month end.

The Minister was replying to a question by D.S. Suresh during the Question Hour in the State Assembly recently.

"The last day for the submission of tenders is Feb.23, and the tender process will be completed by month end following which dialysis machines will start functioning in all the four Revenue Divisions. In case of any problems and other technical issues, the concerned officials have been directed either to repair the machines in time or replace them. ASCON eSanjeevani is managing the functioning of Dialysis Centres and it will take preventive steps in the best interest of patients," Minister Dr. Sudhakar stated.

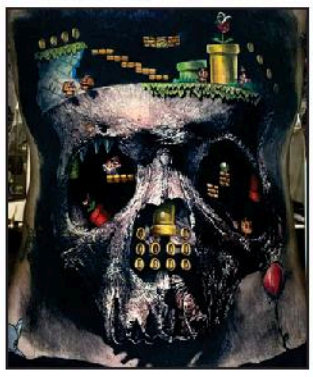
EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Coarse cereals are much in focus after the declaration by the United Nations, on an initiative taken by India, of 2023 as the International Year of Millets. There is a publicity drive and many awareness programmes that project the value of millets as food and crop. The Union Budget for 2022-23 also made a proposal to make India a global hub of millets, though no concrete plans for it were announced. Millets have received attention in the last many years for reasons related to nutrition, environment, economy and other factors. India is the largest producer and the second largest exporter of millets in the world and can continue its leadership if the right policies are adopted to encourage more cultivation and consumption of millets. The more important millets are jowar, bajra and ragi but there are a number of minor ones, too. Rajasthan, Karnataka, Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh are the leading producers.

Millets have advantages that make them special. They have higher nutritional values than other grains in terms of vitamins, minerals and fibre content. They are suitable for cultivation even in arid and semi-arid regions and need less than half the quantity of water that wheat and rice need. This is a great advantage when availability of water is steadily shrinking. They are hardier and more resistant to the vagaries of weather and pests, and have a much shorter growth season. Millets will be more suitable in an environment in which climate change will seriously impact agriculture. Farmers should be encouraged to cultivate them with the offer of various incentives like competitive prices and other kinds of aid. Consumption can also be encouraged with supply through the PDS. Millets should be given a better deal. — *In Deccan Herald*

NEWS SPARKLERS

The mesmerising tattoos of Sandry Riffard



Paris: Sandry Riffard is a talented tattoo artist from France who specialises in macabre hyperrealism with a three-dimensional layer.

The French artist has always had a thing for horror-inspired art, but he has come so far in the last few years, setting himself apart from other practitioners of the style with some incredible projects. Hyperrealistic macabre tattoos have become the hallmark of the French artist, with skulls, full skeletons, demons, and zombies dominating his compositions. However, he sometimes combines these horror elements with unlikely themes, like Sponge Bob's underwater world or Super Mario, for some truly unique masterpieces.

The controversial Bull Vs Bird battle

Peru: The small village of Coyllurqui in Peru is famous for a controversial "blood festival", the highlight of which is a symbolic battle between a condor and a bull.

The Peruvian Blood Festival known as the Yawar Fiesta is a big deal in Coyllurqui, a small mountain village a nine-hour bus ride away from the city of Cusco. It's pretty much the only place in the South American country where tourists can experience the traditional bird vs. bull fight anymore.

Formally known as 'Turupucllay' (Game of the Bull), it used to be held in cities like Cusco centuries ago, but animal rights activists managed to get it banned in Peru years ago. However, in remote rural settlements like Coyllurqui, enforcing the law is tricky, especially when that goes against the economic interest of the locals.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Heart attack can run in families. So, People with 1st degree relatives having coronary artery disease should be extra cautious and should undergo screening regularly.

By Dr. Bipin Chandra Aditya Dasari - Consultant - Cardiology – Interventional, Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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**** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature***

'Journalists must play a decisive role in Assembly polls'

Mysuru, Feb. 20 (PM&DM)- Maintaining that Karnataka is in a critical situation where it has to be saved, Senior Journalist Krishnaprasad observed that journalists must play a decisive role in the forthcoming Assembly polls.

He was speaking after releasing three works 'Eeshanya Dikkininda (a collection of his articles), 'Hangarahalliya Barbara Sankolegalu' and 'Olavu Namma Baduku' authored by Journalist Sudesh Doddapalya at a programme organised by the Publisher Vismaya Book House at Rani Bahadur auditorium in Manasagangothri on Hunsur road here yesterday.

Contending that Journalist and Publisher fraternity should play a vital role in the upcoming Assembly polls, which can change the fortunes of the State, he regretted that a section of the press is propagating only one ideology.

Stressing that Journalists should come up with correct news only after a thorough review of facts and figures, he said that Journalists should function as a filter and make fact checks.

Citing the example of *The New York Times*, where true facts of a Presidential speech appears next to the news of the American President's address, he said that this practice must be followed in our country too.

Stating that Journalists must not function as a postman, he reiterated that fact-check is key for a democracy and we should work for ensuring that the principles of the Constitution does not come under attack under any circumstances.

Senior Journalist Ravindra Bhat, Wildlife Photographers Krupakar and Senani, author Sudesh Doddapalya, Vismaya Book House's Prakash Chikkapalya and others were present on the occasion.

REALLY...?

- ***Spa for elephants: Every year a group of pampered elephants at the Punnathoor Cotta Elephant Yard Rejuvenation Centre receive elaborate spa treatments. The elephant yard is attached to the Guruvayurappan Hindu temple in Kerala, India.***
- ***The rejuvenation centre – which is attached to the famous Guruvayurappan Hindu temple – can host up to 59 elephants, and the tusked giants are happy to laze in the water while workers scrub them clean with brushes. The elephants play a key role in Kerala's legendary temple processions and – with July considered a month of rejuvenation for humans and animals alike – these ellies are certainly not complaining.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Little Johnny: *Mummy, when was I born?*
Mummy: *20th of April.*
Little Johnny: *Wow, what a coincidence. It is the exact date when I have my birthday!!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 82.72
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 99.53
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 22.52
1 Euro	= Rs. 88.41

VOICE OF THE READER

Stretches of ORR reduced to personal corridor

Sir,

The whole of Outer Ring Road (ORR) including Hinkal, Bogadi and Dattagalli junctions are dotted by flex boards and hoardings erected by the followers of a local politician wishing their leader on his birthday.

The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) and National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) authorities who are responsible for the ORR upkeep should put an end to this kind of defacing of the road. The drivers of vehicles find it difficult to concentrate on the road while driving due to these flex boards.

Can anybody end this menace which has become a habit of followers of politicians?

—A Ring Road Commuter
Mysuru
5.2.2023

SJCE hosts "Equip-2023" Tech Fest

Mysuru, Feb. 20 - Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering (SJCE), JSS Science and Technology University (JSS STU), Mysuru, had organised a Tech Fest and workshop "EQUIP-2023" at their campus in collaboration with Bengaluru Chamber of Industries and Commerce (BCIC) recently.

Eighteen Eminent Tech leaders from Fortune 500 companies like Google, Telstra, TVS, Tata Elxis etc., educated more than 700 students across various engineering colleges in Mysuru on trending technologies.

This Tech Fest was organised to address rapid changes in technology and for students to choose various career opportunities in newer fields of Satellite technology, Intelligent automation, Decision intelligence, 5G, Robotics in Manufacturing, Digital transformation etc., along with hands-on workshops on solving social problems.

This was the first time tech leads and founders of companies were invited to address the students and faculties on a single platform as part of the 60th year Diamond Jubilee celebration of SJCE.

Manas Dasgupta, CEO - Teksands.ai and K.R. Anjana, Hon. Joint Secretary, NHRD, Bengaluru and BCIC, were the chief guests who inaugurated the event along with Prof. B. Suresh, Director, Technical, JSS Mahavidypeetha, Dr. A.N. Santosh Kumar, Vice-Chancellor, JSS STU, Dr. B.S. Harish, Deputy Registrar, JSS STU, Dr. S.B. Kivade, Principal, SJCE, Dr. M. Pradeep, Training and Placement Officer, JSS STU.

In his inaugural address, Manas Dasgupta emphasised on the importance of industry collaborations to empower students on latest technologies and future proof their career by learning new skills.

Prof. B. Suresh advised students to be multiskilled and focus on multidisciplinary projects. He emphasised on starting newer courses and changing syllabus according to the industry need and educating students to be industry ready from day 1.

Dr. Santosh Kumar spoke about various programmes which will be offered as part of the Diamond Jubilee celebrations of SJCE in the coming days.

Tech Fest "EQUIP" was the first event to bridge the gap between industry and institute and in coming days many such activities and workshops will be organised to help students to plan and choose the right career opportunities and emerge as a strong technical graduate.

10-day Silk India-2023 expo in city from Feb. 24

Mysuru, Feb. 20- Abhivruddhi will be presenting pure and probable silk at the 10-day Silk India-2023 expo-cum-sale at *Hotel Southern Star* on Vinoba Road in city from Feb. 24 to Mar. 5. The expo will be open between 10.30 am and 8 pm.

The expo will feature Arani Silk sarees, Crepe & Georgette Silk sarees, Chiffon Silk sarees, Tussar Silk sarees and suit, Kanjivaram Silk sarees & wedding sarees, Designer Fancy sarees, Dharmavaram Silk saree, Raw Silk, Jute Silk sarees, Dhaka Silk sarees, Handloom Silk Cotton sarees, Silk Blend sarees & stole, Silk Shawls, Uppada, Gadwal, Paithani sarees, Mangalagiri & Pochampally Silk sarees and many more products from across the country.

Hand Block Print sarees, silk bed covers, designer dress materials, kurtis, Handwoven Matka & Assam Muga Fabrics, Apoorva Silk sarees, Baluchari, Dhaka Muslin, Gicha sarees, Boutique sarees, Kantha sarees, Zardosi, Lucknow Chikan Work sarees, Bhagalpur suits, Printed Silk sarees, Banarasi sarees, Reshmi Plain and Butti sarees, Maheswari, Chanderi Silk sarees & Suit and Kota Silk, Mulberry Silk with temple border, Banaras Jamdani and Handwoven sarees will be on display.

For details, contact Abhinand on Mob: 86607-14252, according to a press release.

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Poster campaign launched against BJP

Mysuru, Feb.20 (PM&DM)- In a counter to the BJP's poster campaign on its achievements, the Opposition Congress on Sunday launched a counter poster campaign against the BJP in the city, charging the ruling party of false propaganda and terming the budget presented by Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai as a bundle of lies.

Accusing the BJP of fooling the public, the Congress workers, who wore flower on their ears, pasted posters at the compound of J.K. Grounds, K.R. Hospital and other prominent spots in the Central Business District.

Congress Spokesperson M. Lakshmana charged the BJP workers of indiscriminately pasting posters even at public spots and Government spaces. Wondering whether the BJP had taken any permission from the MCC for pasting poster, he wanted to know what the Police were doing to prevent such violation of laws.

Claiming that the BJP had not fulfilled even half of its last year's budget promises, he contended that the BJP was simply interested in 40 percent Commission, maladministration and such other wrong doings. Charging the BJP Government of pushing back the State by more than 30 years, he maintained that the BJP has borrowed massive loans from National and International Financial agencies and Institutions running upto Rs. 3 lakh crore in its current four-year rule, which is a record of sorts.

Asserting that the Congress poster campaign is aimed at educating the public on the BJP's false development propaganda, Lakshmana appealed the public to take forward the Congress poster campaign to every nook and corner of the State.

City Congress President R. Murthy, leaders B.M. Ramu, K. Mahesh, Hedathale Manjunath, Shivaprasad, Girish, Hunsur Basavanna, Santosh, Rahul, Manoj and others were present.

NEWS BRIEFS

Felicitation to NCC Cadets

JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru, has organised a felicitation programme for the NCC Cadets of Mysuru Group who participated in the 74th Republic Day Camp-2023, national camps and competitions, at Suttur Mutt at the foot of Chamundi Hill in city at 5 pm today (Feb. 20). Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will grace the occasion. Col. R.R. Menon, Group Commander, Head Quarters NCC Group Mysuru and Col. Manish Prasad, Commanding Officer, 14 Karnataka Battalion, NCC, will be the chief guests. Officers of Mysuru Group, Units and Colleges, parents and Cadets will be present, according to a press release.

Guruvaibhavotsava

Nanjangud Sri Raghavendra-swamy Mutt, Subbarayanakere, Mysuru, has organised Guru-vaibhavotsava-2023 at its premises from Feb. 22 to 26. Various religious rituals, pujas, homas and Rathotsava will be held during the five-day programme. Rathotsava will be held on Feb. 26 at 11 am. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2424156 or Mob: 88616-47344.

Ph.D awardee

S.K. Sowmyashree has been awarded Ph.D in Women's Studies by the University of Mysore (UoM) for her thesis 'Mysuru Talukina Drushtisavalulla Shala Vidyarthiniyara Stithigathigala Adhyayana.' [Guide: Dr. M. Meera]

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80	feet
Today	:	109.76	feet
Saturday	:	111.58	feet
Inflow	:	148	cusecs
Outflow	:	4,181	cusecs

KABINI DAM

Maximum	:	2,284.00	feet
Yesterday	:	2,269.77	feet
Inflow	:	118	cusecs
Outflow	:	1,000	cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00	feet
Today	:	2,828.62	feet
Inflow	:	77	cusecs
Outflow	:	70	cusecs

Tamil Nadu poacher killed in shootout

Body found in Palar River

M.M. Hills, Feb. 20-A poacher from Tamil Nadu was killed in a crossfire between the poachers and Forest staff at Kokka-rehalla of Adipalar Forest in Gopinatham Forest Range of Cauvery Wildlife Sanctuary. The incident has come to light lately.

On Feb. 14 (Tuesday) night, the shootout took place and the poachers from Tamil Nadu had jumped into Palar River and had escaped. But on Friday, the body of one of the poachers was found floating in the River which passes Erode district and it has been confirmed that he had died in the crossfire.

Tamil Nadu Forest officials have identified the body as that of Raju, a professional poacher. It is learnt that Raju was a part of the team of poachers, who had escaped along with others when there was a shootout between the poachers and Forest staff in 2014 during which poacher Palini was killed.

Details

On Feb. 14, when Forest Guard Mallikarjun and another staff were patrolling over the forest at Jeenu Kallu Watch Tower near Gopinatham, they saw a group of poachers with torch lights walking inside the forest area at about 8 pm and informed their higher officials.

Soon, Deputy Range Forest Officer (DRFO) Dinesh, along with the staff at Kokkarehalla Gate and Forest Guards Sunil Yamanappa and Watchers Shivakumar and Madesh of Palar Wildlife Zone, divided themselves into two teams and went in search of the poachers.

During their search operation, they noticed a coracle in the backwaters of Palar River in Adipalar Forest Area. Suspecting that the poachers would come to the spot, the Forest staff hid behind rocks waiting for the poachers. At about 12 midnight, they heard two gun shots inside the forest and at about 1.30 am, when the poachers were coming towards the coracle, the Tamil Nadu Forest staff, who were on the other side of the river bank, flashed the torch lights which fell on the Karnataka Forest staff. Soon, the poachers began to fire from about 20 to 25 mts distance on the Karnataka Forest staff.

Meanwhile, Forest Guards Mallikarjun, Sunil and Yamanappa opened fire from their single barrel gun in self defence. While a few poachers fled from the spot under the cover of darkness, two poachers jumped into Palar River. It was not known whether the poachers were injured in the firing by the Karnataka Forest staff or any of them died. When the Forest staff conducted a search, they found carcasses of two deer hunted by the poachers, one country made gun, one head torch, one torch charger, two pairs of slippers and one mobile phone, which they have seized.

Gopinatham RFO S. Sampath Patel has lodged a complaint at M.M. Hills Police Station.

Wild jumbo falls into pond, dies

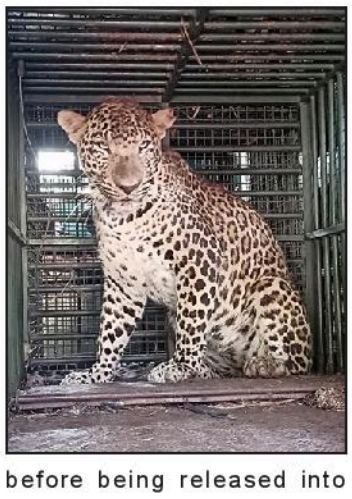
Madikeri, Feb. 20- A wild elephant, which had entered a coffee estate has died after falling into a water pond at the estate at Yelaneeru Gundi village near Shanivarasanthe and the incident came to light when the estate workers saw the elephant's body in the pond on Saturday morning.

A pond was constructed in the coffee estate of one Chandrashekar to store water. A heard of three wild elephants had strayed into the estate from the nearby reserve forest and a female elephant, aged about 20 years, fell into the 10 ft. deep pond accidentally and died.

Estate workers, who saw the dead elephant in the pond, informed the Forest Department officials and a team of Forest staff led by Shanivarasanthe Range Forest Officer (RFO) Prafullakumar Shetty reached the spot and conducted an inspection.

A crane was summoned and the elephant's body was removed from the pond. Post-mortem was conducted at the spot by Shanivarasanthe Veterinarian Dr. Satish and the body was shifted to the nearby reserve forest.

Leopard trapped at Marase



Mysuru, Feb. 20- A leopard, which had created panic by killing livestock, has been trapped in the cage placed by the Forest Department at Marase village in the taluk yesterday.

Following complaint by villagers that a leopard was killing their livestock, the Forest Department staff had placed a cage in the farm on Thursday and the leopard, aged about four years, walked into the cage yesterday and got trapped.

Forest officials said that the leopard would be microchipped before being released into the forest.

Bus hits scooter

Rider killed, another injured

Mysuru, Feb. 20 (RK&KS)- A youth was killed while a woman sustained injuries when a KSRTC bus rammed into the scooter they were riding near Varakod Gate on T. Narasipur Road yesterday evening.

The deceased youth has been identified as Manjunath (23), son of Lokesh, a resident of Manchegowdanakoppal in city while the injured has been identified as Nagamma, a relative of Manjunath, who has been admitted to K.R. Hospital here.

Manjunath and his relative Nagamma had been to Billahalli village for the festival and were returning to Mysuru on the scooter.

They got petrol filled to the scooter at the petrol bunk near Varakod Gate and when they entered the main road, a speeding KSRTC bus hit their scooter at about 5 pm.

Police said that, Manjunath, who sustained serious injuries, was shifted to a hospital where the doctors declared that he had breathed his last midway and Nagamma has been admitted to K.R. Hospital.

Road accident near Ramanagar

Two Mysureans sustain injuries

Mysuru, Feb. 20 (RK&KS)- Two persons from city have sustained injuries in a road accident near Ramanagar yesterday morning.

Those injured are Vimala and her daughter Apoorva, residents of Siddarthanagar in city, who are undergoing treatment at a private hospital in city.

Vimala and Apoorva, who had been to the Art of Living Centre near Channapatna to attend Shivaratri puja, were proceeding towards Mysuru in their car, when it rammed into the barricade in front of a Church near Ramanagar at about 2.30 am.

Vimala, speaking to *SOM*, said that she was driving the car and her daughter was seated in the rear seat.

"I only know that a vehicle zipped past my car at a high speed and when I opened my eyes I saw people taking me out of the car. I do not know what happened between this. Maybe I lost control of the car when the vehicle passed my car and hit the barricade. I am not injured that much but my daughter has sustained injuries," she said.

Ramanagar Police have towed my car, Vimala added.

IPS Roopa Moudgil - IAS Rohini Sindhuri spat

Notices to be issued to both Officers

Chief Minister orders Chief Secretary to take appropriate action; Home Minister says behaviour shameful

Bengaluru, Feb. 20 (Agencies)- Causing a flutter in the State bureaucracy, two top women Officers in Karnataka, IPS Officer D. Roopa Moudgil and IAS Officer Rohini Sindhuri, have locked horns in public with accusations of corruption, vilification and sending personal pictures.

Following intense public criticism, adverse comments and negative publicity on social media on the fight between the two senior Officers, sources in the Chief Minister's office told *Star of Mysore* that the CM has ordered Chief Secretary Vandita Sharma to issue notices to both the Officers seeking explanation on their public behaviour.

The CM has also asked the two Officers to refrain from making any comments in public. Sources said that the CM has been apprised of the public spat and he wants to avoid public censure of his Government at a time when the State is getting ready to face elections in two to three months. Yesterday, Bommai told reporters that the "issue was personal in nature."

While Roopa is currently serving as Managing Director of Karnataka Handicrafts Development Corporation, Rohini Sindhuri, who was the former Deputy Commissioner (DC) of Mysuru, is currently serving as the Commissioner of Hindu Religious Institutions and Charitable Endowment Department.

Home Minister Araga Jnanendra said in Bengaluru this morning, "It is really shameful that two high level women Officers of the Government are fighting on social media like the general public. This tarnishes the image of the Government. Hence, the CM has asked the Chief Secretary to issue notices to both the Officers.

"The friction between the two Officers is reported continuously in various media channels. Many matters are mentioned. If they had personal differences, they should have brought it to the notice of the Chief Secretary of the Government. It is not right to be involved in social media spat like this. The Government will not be quiet noticing all these developments. Both will be served notices. If their behaviour continues, we will take decision over further action," he said.

D. Roopa Moudgil, IPS

Rohini Sindhuri, IAS

Rohini Sindhuri meets Chief Secretary

IAS Officer Rohini Sindhuri met Chief Secretary Vandita Sharma this afternoon and presented her version of the controversy with IPS Officer Roopa Moudgil.

Vandita Sharma

Sources said that the Chief Secretary summoned Sindhuri to her office based on the directive of the CM. Sindhuri spoke with the Chief Secretary for over 30 minutes, sources added.

Accusations fly thick and fast

Roopa took to social media on Saturday to accuse Rohini Sindhuri of several wrongdoings. She also released the woman IAS Officer's personal pictures allegedly shared with a few male Officers.

It all started after photographs of Rohini Sindhuri and JD(S) MLA from K.R. Nagar S.R. Mahesh sitting together in a restaurant emerged on social media with reports of a purported compromise between Rohini Sindhuri and Mahesh.

In 2021, when Rohini was the Mysuru DC, she and the MLA had several spats, with both accusing each other of corruption. When the photographs emerged, Roopa Moudgil took to social media to question why an Officer was meeting a politician and whether a compromise was being struck.

In a detailed Facebook post on Feb. 18, Roopa listed various allegations against Rohini, accusing her of corruption and sending personal pictures to other IAS Officers. Listing out 20 points, Roopa asked why there was no investigation against Rohini though there were murmurs of corruption.

Row with Shilpa Nag raked up

Roopa also referenced Rohini's past conflicts with fellow civil servants, including the then Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Commissioner Shilpa Nag. In June 2021, Shilpa Nag and Rohini were transferred out of their posts after Shilpa held a press meet and accused Rohini of humiliating her. Rohini on the other hand alleged dereliction of duties by Shilpa.

The IPS Officer also raked up the deaths of 24 people at the Chamarajanagar Government Hospital due to lack of oxygen during the pandemic. There were allegations then that Mysuru had not transported enough oxygen to Chamarajanagar.

Roopa also questioned why Rohini built a swimming pool in her house in the middle of the pandemic.

Roopa shared on her Facebook page seven pictures of Sindhuri, alleging that the latter allegedly shared them with IAS Officers in 2021 and 2022. Roopa wrote in the post, "what does it mean when a female IAS Officer sends such pictures to not one, not two but three male IAS Officers? Then this is not a private matter (of Sindhuri)."

Legal action warned

Meanwhile, Rohini Sindhuri released a media statement yesterday saying that Roopa was "driving false, personal vilification campaign" against her, which is "her standard *modus operandi*."

The statement said: "I will take legal and other actions with appropriate authorities for her actions amounting to misconduct and criminal offences under various sections of the Indian Penal Code (IPC)."

"She collected photos from social media and screenshots of (my) WhatsApp status to defame me. As she has alleged that I sent these pics to some officials, I urge her to reveal their names," Sindhuri said.

Late IAS Officer's wife posts a cryptic tweet on karma

Bengaluru, Feb. 20 (Agencies)- Kusuma Hanumantharayappa, wife of D.K. Ravi, the IAS Officer who committed suicide, has responded to IPS Officer D. Roopa's suspicion of IAS Officer Rohini Sindhuri's role in her husband's suicide and said that the CBI report on her husband's suicide had mentioned the names of those responsible for the suicide.

Kusuma

Among the allegations levelled by Roopa was a reference to the personal chats between Sindhuri and Ravi prior to his death by suicide in 2015. "What I think is, (that) since I believe in God, is that you reap what you sow. Karma will not spare anyone. If we do good or bad deeds, we will pay for it in this life," Kusuma said yesterday.

No one else should suffer the pain and humiliation suffered by her and her family. At least now, the contents of the CBI closure report on Ravi's suicide should be discussed widely, Kusuma further said.

"After the CBI report came out, no one discussed what the report said… like they did when he died. The reason why Ravi died by suicide is in it, (and the names of) those responsible for his decision are also mentioned in the report," she added.

The CBI, which probed the case, concluded in 2016 that Ravi died by suicide and there was no external pressure on him. Earlier in the day, Kusuma had posted a cryptic tweet.

"Karma will get back at you, sooner or later it surely will," she posted.

Roopa is jealous of my wife: Sudheer Reddy

Bengaluru, Feb. 20 (Agencies)- Sudheer Reddy, the husband of IAS Officer Rohini Sindhuri told reporters in Bengaluru this morning that IPS Officer Roopa Moudgil must refrain from making personal remarks.

Sudheer

"It is not right to speak about my family and more importantly, my wife does not need publicity. Roopa is jealous of Rohini Sindhuri," he said.

"Roopa has several followers on social media and she is behind publicity. We will take legal action on her actions. Who is Roopa to speak about my wife? I am a Kannadiga and Bengaluru is my home. And I am an Indian. My family is educated and has culture. What photos Roopa has posted are normal photos and as a software engineer, I can say that the photos have been hacked from my wife's phone with Bluetooth," Reddy said.

"I was working in the US and as my parents are in Bengaluru, I resigned and came here. My father came to Bengaluru 50 years back and our family has properties in Bengaluru and we do real estate business. My family had stakes in real estate even before I married Rohini Sindhuri," he added.

When reporters asked him about IAS Officer D.K. Ravi's suicide, Reddy said, "It is not appropriate to pass comments on a person who has passed away. Even I am in family life and I know what it is. "Rohini Sindhuri is doing good work and unable to digest this, Roopa is resorting to mud-slinging."

"Moreover, my wife does not use social media," he clarified.

Abracadabra... Abracadabra...

By K.B. Ganapathy

A Museum for Gen. Thimayya in Kodagu -1

Hitler had famously said that 'war is to man, what maternity is to woman.' But General George S. Patton of World War II, a straight shooter, said that 'the object of war is not to die for your country but to make the other dumb bastards die for his...' He was a brilliant General, known for his strict discipline, toughness, self-sacrifice and for eliciting exceptional pride, within his ranks. It was not surprising therefore he was colourfully described as "Old Blood and Guts."

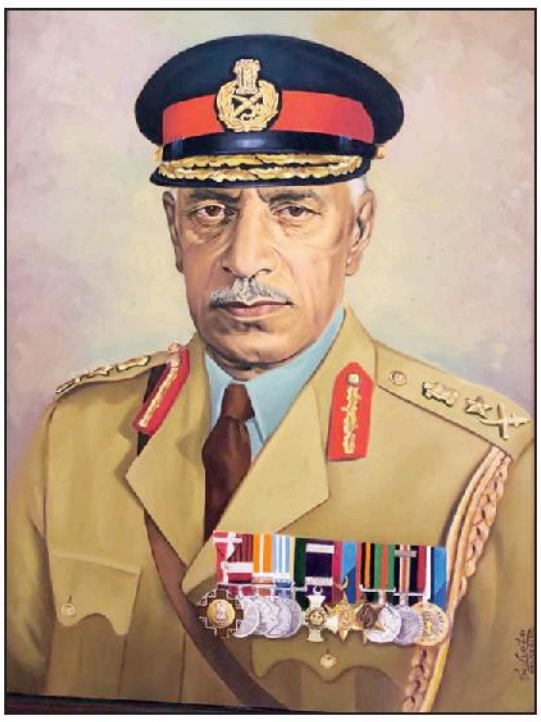
These two army soldiers came to my mind as I tiptoed from one small gallery to another looking at photos, artefacts and the texts at the General Thimayya Museum on Madikeri-Mysuru Road in Madikeri, Kodagu, on 3rd of this month. Of course, every General is absolutely different from the other, no doubt. All the same I find an intrinsic value in their personality like in gold.

General K.S. Thimayya was known among his British and Indian friends as "Timmy" just as Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa was nicknamed "Kipper."

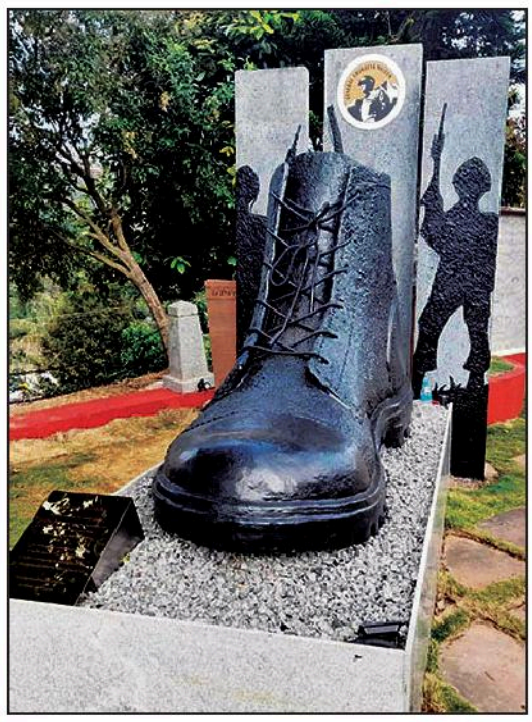
The Museum is housed in his own house "Sunny Side" and I had visited that house on some errand when I was a student in Madikeri and twice thereafter while the Museum work was going on. This time I was there to see the Museum which was completed in all respects.

Gen. K.S. Thimayya was the Chief of Indian Army from 1957 to 1961. I had alluded to him in my *Abracadabra* column of *Star of Mysore* special issue dated 16th February 2023 recalling his military role in J&K during those difficult days of 1947-1948.

He foresaw, the danger to India's future defence if five important Mountain Passes were not captured by India during that war and went about doing it in lightning speed successfully despite Nehru! It is said Gen. Thimayya's accomplishment of an important military mission in J&K had helped India during the 1999 Kargil War. This was his military genius. **There was one most difficult Pass to capture — Zoji La Pass during the Kashmir war. That was when Kashmir was nearly lost.**



General K.S. Thimayya



A soldier's black boot sculpted in cement at the Museum.

The war was on, he surveyed the war zone, decided to fight the enemy from a vantage point of a hill with military tanks. But how to get these gargantuan tanks up the hill. 'Strip them, load them in jeeps and drive up. And reassemble them.' A nocturnal exercise executed with military precision, or say Thimayya precision. Mission accomplished. As the firing from the Tanks boomed, Pakistani soldiers and so-called tribals ran like rats and disappeared. That was Gen. Thimayya. Seemed, as with Napoleon, with Thimayya too, the word 'impossible' exists only in a fool's dictionary, at least when they led. That was the kind of military man Gen. K.S. Thimayya was. And every Indian should feel proud of this General. A posthumous Military Rank of Field Marshal to him by a grateful nation would be in order, if it is possible in the Army, as it is allowed in our national civilian honour 'Bharat Ratna.'

Consider the overwhelming confidence of the General who had mastered the art and craft of military strategy and also understood the causes and consequence of the war he was fighting in Kashmir.

Like a humble servile supplicant under Nehru and Louis Mountbatten, India went to UN and got into an abysmal nether world of meetings, dialogues and conferences. One such conference was held in Geneva. Pakistan arrived with its huge contingent of military experts and high-ranking officials. They sat confident of carrying the day behind heaps of official files.

And India? India was represented by the Defence Minister scholarly Gopalaswami Ayyangar and General Thimayya. "Thimayya carried with him only his tin of cigarettes. As he sat down he smiled at the opposite side and put the tin of cigarettes in front of him."

The General knew that India's real defence position was not at the conference table. It was in the Mountain Passes that were the passages to Kashmir Valley. And, surely he had already captured and sealed those Passes before the ceasefire was declared; could be, immediately after! That was Gen. Thimayya for India.

I had seen Gen. Thimayya's statue in a War Museum in Singapore along with other officers in a conference. I think he was a Brigadier then. I have read that he was the only Indian officer to command an infantry brigade during World War II.

Like any Museum of a great-famous persons here too the Museum describes the General's life from birth to death. He was among the most distinguished soldiers of our country.

The museum was inaugurated in 2021 by the then President of India Shri Ram Nath Kovind. It was undertaken by the Department of Kannada and Culture, Government of Karnataka, under the guidance of Field Marshal Cariappa-General Thimayya Forum.

As one enters the premises and walks towards the Museum, what comes into view is a larger-than-life size boot of a soldier, an essential part of his uniform. There is a metal plaque that eloquently explains the significance of the sole of that boot and the soul of the wearer of that boot! Let me reproduce:

An ode to the soldiers

Crack of dawn till the crack of dawn.
Running the rat race, the moment we are born.
This noble soul seldom blinks,
For sleep or a few leisurely winks.

In the biting cold or the sweltering heat,
To the cadence of the marching feet.

A bullet or shrapnel, he will gladly greet,
For his countryman that he will seldom meet.
On the sole of this boot rests...
a selfless brave soul

In keeping with the army discipline here too everything seemed in order. Neat. Clean. Ship-shape. That itself is a tribute and great honour to a great soldier of India and a son of Kodagu. As I tiptoed through different rooms and sections inside the Museum, speaking in whisper to my companion, it was an enthralling experience.

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Veteran Film Director dies

S.K. Bhagavan

Bengaluru, Feb. 20 - Veteran Kannada Film Director S.K. Bhagavan of Dorai-Bhagavan fame, passed away due to age-related ailments at a private hospital in Bengaluru this morning. He was 90.

Bhagavan is survived by two sons and a daughter.

Bhagavan had directed 49 films and many of them blockbusters, with his collaborator B. Dorai Raj, with the pair popularly known as Dorai-Bhagavan.

The filmmaker duo was closely associated with Dr. Rajkumar, with whom they made several iconic films of Kannada cinema including *Kasturi Nivasa.* Later, the duo made several hit films with Ananth Nag and Lakshmi.

Starting with *Jedara Bale* (1968), they went on to give classics like *Kasturi Nivasa* (1971), *Eradu Kanasu* (1974), *Hosa Belaku* (1982), *Jeevana Chaitra* (1992) and more. They were famous for directing James Bond-style films with Dr. Rajkumar such as *Goa Dali CID 999* (1968), *Operation Jackpot Nalli CID 999* (1969) and *Operation Diamond Racket* (1978).

After Dorai Raj died in 2000, Bhagavan took a long break. The duo had made more than 25 films. Bhagavan returned to direct his 50th film *'Aaduva Gombe'* starring Sanchari Vijay and Anant Nag in 2019.

His mortal remains were kept at his Sahakar Nagar residence till noon for people to pay their last respects.

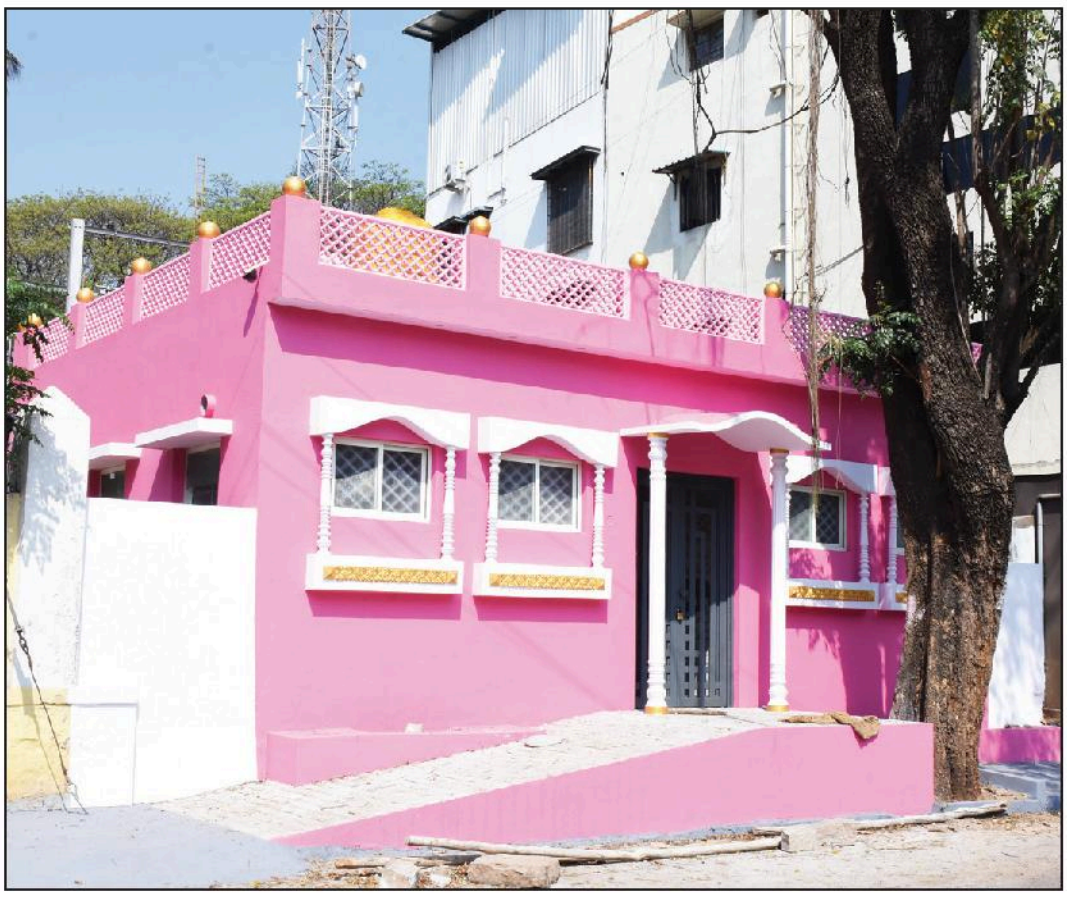
First list of Congress candidates on Feb. 28

Bengaluru, Feb. 20 (KMS& DM)- With the Assembly polls round the corner, the Congress in an effort to make a head-start to its poll campaign, will release its first list of 126 candidates on Feb. 28.

The Congress, which held a survey on its chances of winning in each of the 224 Assembly segments of the State, has come up with a list of most probables in all the Assembly segments, with the first list of candidates to be released on Feb. 28, while the list of candidates for the remaining segments will follow.

The Party High Command will finalise the candidates' list sent by a Congress Panel.

Ladies Only



The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has completed the construction and painting of a pink building exclusively for ladies with facilities such as toilets, rest rooms, place for lactating mothers to feed their infants etc. The facility is located off D. Devaraj Urs Road near Chamundi Guest House and will be inaugurated shortly.

PM SVANidhi Scheme enrolment till Feb. 24

Mysuru, Feb. 20 (MTY&DM)- In a bid to effectively implement the PM Street Vendors' Atmanirbhar Nidhi (PM SVANidhi) Scheme, a five-day street vendors enrolment drive began in the city this morning.

MP Pratap Simha kick-started the drive by distributing pamphlets of the scheme to street vendors near Nanjumalige Circle. Speaking after the launch, Simha said that the scheme has been introduced by the Union Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs and is a boon for street vendors.

Pointing out that the scheme is a micro-credit facility scheme for providing affordable loan to street vendors to resume their livelihoods that have been adversely affected due to COVID lockdown, the MP said that the scheme facilitates a working capital collateral-free loan of Rs. 10,000 with subsequent loans of Rs. 20,000 and Rs. 50,000 with seven percent interest subsidy.

He called upon the street vendors to make best use of this drive and get registered for the scheme, which will be of great help to them.

MLA S.A. Ramdas said that the scheme will make small vendors stay away from money lenders and 'metre interest lenders,' who extort huge interest for even small sums of money. Stating that the enrolment drive launched today will go till Feb. 24, he said that the enrolment is being done in the jurisdictions of all the Nine Zonal Offices of the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC).

The District Lead Bank has taken the lead for popularising the drive by opening exclusive counters at banks to extend all possible assistance to beneficiaries of the PM SVANidhi scheme.

Pointing out that a survey of street vendors had been done with support from the Police Department for the enrolment drive, he called upon the street vendors, push cart vendors and all other small vendors to register for the scheme and thus get themselves financially empowered for carrying out or expanding their businesses.

MCC Commissioner G. Lakshmikantha Reddy, Corporator M.V. Ramprasad and others were present.

Wearing a half-helmet? Cough up Rs. 500 fine

Mysuru, Feb. 20 (RK&KS)- Two-wheeler drivers and pillion riders take note: Wearing a helmet alone may not protect you from a fine. The Mysuru City Traffic Police are enforcing a ban on helmets that don't carry the ISI mark and those who wear half-helmets. They are collecting a fine of Rs. 500 for violation.

This morning, the Mysuru City Traffic Police conducted a drive against half-helmets across the city. Traffic Police personnel, including Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors, Assistant Sub-Inspectors and Constables from Devaraja, Krishnaraja, Narasimharaja, V.V. Puram and Siddarthanagar Traffic Police Stations conducted the drive against motorists wearing half-helmets at important junctions and main roads.

Ten cases each have been registered at all the five Traffic Police Stations.

"A rider wearing a sub-standard helmet or a half-helmet will be considered as helmetless and will be fined Rs. 500. This is applicable for pillion riders, too," Police said.

The drive was being conducted as per instructions from City Police Commissioner B. Ramesh and the drive against half-helmets and also against triple riding will continue in the future.

Apart from the penalty, a rider's licence will be impounded in case of repeated offence and sent to the RTO concerned recommending suspension. According to a study, only 44 percent of motorists use ISI-marked helmets. The rest use sub-standard helmets and half-helmets just to avoid being penalised by the Police.

Officers say that two-wheeler riders often use the price of an ISI-standard helmet as an excuse. They spend thousands of rupees buying two-wheelers but are not ready to pay for a good quality helmet, Police added.

Farmers block Expressway

demanding underpass

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"We have given many representations to the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) for an underpass to facilitate movement of people, livestock and also farm produce. Our pleas have fallen on deaf ears and even the elected representatives of Mandya have ignored our plight," alleged Madhuchandan and Prasanna of the Karnataka Rajya Raitha Sangha.

As the protest intensified, National Highways Authority of India Chief Engineer Daivik visited the place and tried to placate the agitated farmers.

He told the protesting farmers that their concerns will be brought to the notice of the higher officers.

However, the Chief Engineer's assurance did not find any takers in the crowd and farmer leaders tore the physical copies of the Expressway project plan.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the below mentioned "Schedule Property" from T S Ravi, S/o Late. Subba Rao, residing at No.1393, I Cross, Poorna Drushti Road, C & D Block, Kuvempunagara, Mysore. Originally the Schedule property was acquired and allotted by Madhuvana Housing Co operative society infavour of S Mahalingaswamy. On 23-9-1993 the MUDA, Mysore has executed a registered title deed infavour of S Mahalingaswamy, Later on S Mahalingaswamy was sold the Schedule Property infavour Of Smt. D Sukanya on 16-2-2004. On 28-4-2005 Smt. D Sukanya had sold the Schedule Property infavour of Nataraj K S. On 20-2-2006 K S Nataraja has sold the Schedule Property infavour of Bimal Balakrishna, and 18-5-2022 Bimla Balakrishna was sold the Schedule property infavour of T S Ravi and the same was registered as document number MYS-1-01495-2022-23 stored in CD number MYSD1192 of Book I before the office of the Sub registrar, Mysore South, Mysore.

Hence this public notice, if any person/s, ie., heirs of above mentioned sellers or their family members, or agreement holders, charge holders, or other authority/s, Chits, any body claiming any sort of right, title, interest, charges or claims or any suit is pending on the above mentioned property of any kind whatsoever nature over the notice "Schedule Property" please do notify the same to the under signed within Seven days from the date of this public notice, attaching all the relevant documents substantiating such right and claims. If, no such objections are received within Seven days, my client will proceed to purchase the Schedule property. After the expiry of the said Seven days notice period, my client shall be at liberty not to entertain any complaint or claims.

Schedule Property

All that is vacant site property bearing number 6 B, block No.7, Madhuvana Layout, II Stage, Srirampura Extension,Chamraja Mohalla, Mysore site measuring East to West 18 meters, North to South 12 meters and the property is bounded on East by site number 7/B, West by 9 meter Road, North by Site number 6/C and South by Site number 6/A.

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Mysore Memories...

Sarvajanika Subbanna

Pioneer of Mysore's first public hostel and school

T.S. Subbanna was among the pioneers in Mysore to start public hostels which accepted students of all castes and creeds. These public hostels were followed by public schools which practiced the same secular broad-minded values. His unique brand of publicly funded hostels and schools soon became famous as the Sabarmati Ashram of the South. He declined every honour or recognition that came to him. He was to his students father and mother and his hostel was to them very often their only home! He was fondly called as 'Sarvajanika Subbanna' and many a generation of students grew under his love and affection. This is our small tribute to this great Gandhian, Freedom Fighter and Social Activist.

Taĝaduru Subbappa (T.S.) Subbanna

By Dr. Bhagirath S. Naganath

Taĝaduru Subbappa (T.S.) Subbanna was born in 1905 in Taĝaduru village, Nanjangud taluk. His father Eshwarappa was the chief priest at the Ankanatheshwara Temple in Taĝaduru. His mother Parvatamma was a devout and pious lady.

Early years

Subbanna had his preliminary schooling at Taĝaduru Government School. Then the family moved to Mysore for his further education. While in Mysore, Subbanna worked part-time as a priest at the Kashi Vishwanatha Temple on Madvachar Road in Agrahara. Subbanna was admitted to the Wesley Mission High School. Venkatakrishnayya was one of the senior teachers who had a profound impact on him. Some of the British teachers tried to persuade students like Subbanna to focus on their academics instead of spending time in the freedom movement.

But Subbanna had already come under the influence of freedom fighters like M.N. Jois, Sharada Prasad, Agaram Ramayya, Subramanyam and Dasappa. Subbanna and friends convened as the '*Tilak Sangha*' to share news about various freedom fighters from across the country.

Subbanna had to slip away to Channapatna (Sogale) to avoid impending arrest. He participated in the Civil Disobedience Movement at Sirsi, Siddapur and Ankola. Subbanna's mother, in an attempt to distract her son from the freedom struggle, tried to get him married but this was in vain.

Interestingly, Subbanna is remembered to have dressed as a woman in a saree to escape being caught, while participating in a protest march passing in front of Hardwicke High School. He managed to give Police a slip and made it to Subbarayana Kere to hoist the Indian Flag!

On another occasion, while being pursued, he ran into a Coal Plant and smeared himself with coal soot and succeeded in evading arrest! Subbanna was among the freedom fighters to hoist the Flag at Shivapura in Maddur. He then made his way to Sabarmati Ashram, where he spent time imbibing the Gandhian way of life directly from the Mahatma!

Origin of Subbanna Hostel

Subbanna was greatly inspired by Gandhian ideals and came back to Mysore and opened the first public hostel for poor and orphaned children in 1930s in Hullina Beedhi, Mysore. This hostel was funded entirely from donations. Unfortunately, in a year or two, Subbanna was arrested by the British for his participation in the manufacturing of a bomb. While in prison, Subbanna's close aide M.S. Siddaveerashetty ably managed the hostel affairs.

Mysore had many student hostels at this time. Most of them were managed along caste lines. Subbanna's hostel was a welcome departure and took pride in accepting all students without prejudice. Subbanna's hostel was later relocated to a place near *Galli* hotel, off Narayana Sastry Road. In spite of the growing student strength, Subbanna always devoted time for the freedom struggle. He was a witness to the firing incident at Five Lights Circle, where Ramaswamy got killed.

CITB (City Improvement Trust Board) came forward a few years later and allocated a larger piece of land in Vidyaranyapuram for the hostel. This was shallow land in an otherwise flat residential layout. Municipality Secretary Phalanethra Sastry came to Subbanna's rescue and dispatched few lorries (free of cost) to fill the shallow ground. Subbanna now had a flat patch of land, but lacked the funds needed for constructing a building!

Fortunately, Devi Sakamma of Coorg (Kodagu) came to his rescue and donated Rs. 20,000 for the construction of the hostel! A building finally came up and Jayachamaraja Wadiyar came to inaugurate the new hostel on 18th April, 1954.

The inaugural function was also graced by the then Chief Minister Kengal Hanumanthaiah, H.M. Chennabasappa, A. Ramana, Vasudeva Murthy, H.C. Dasappa and, of course, Sakamma herself.

Jayachamaraja Wadiyar wished to confer the '*Samaja Seva*' honour on Subbanna. But Subbanna politely declined it. The Maharaja was not one to give up. He sent a 3-kg silver plate with a formal Palace letter congratulating the completion of the hostel construction. Subbanna, in course of time, sold the silver plate to fund day-to-day expenses at the hostel.

Hostel life

Subbanna made morning and evening prayers mandatory for all students. These prayers included chantings from all faiths. The dining hall was planned to house a large number of students, of all faiths and denominations to sit side by side. A frugal but nutritious menu consisting of ragi or jowar balls, rice with sambar, pickle and butter milk formed the everyday lunch at the hostel. Kitchen Head Madappa was in-charge of the cooking and also functioned as a driver for the hostel's Chevrolet car, which was used by Subbanna to scout for donations.

Madappa was instructed by Subbanna to involve all the students in various activities in the kitchen. Before every meal, prayers were recited by the students. A strict policy against food wastage was in effect and Subbanna would personally look into how much food was being thrown every day.

During the actual partaking of food, absolute silence was maintained. Madappa was also entrusted with the responsibility of collecting and storing weekly donations of grain and rice sent by farmers. The hostel also received donations from shop-keepers in Santhepet, Sri Badriprasad, owner of Indira Bhavan and many village headmen from H.D. Kote, K.R. Nagar, Periyapatna, T. Narasipur, Gundlupet, Chamarajanagar and Mandya. Many rural communities sent truckloads of fodder for the hostel cows as well.

The '*public hostel*' had a student strength of little over 100. The values and virtues imbibed in the students were very well-known across the State. So much so that, wealthy zamindars and Ministers began to queue outside Subbanna's office, requesting him to give their children a slot in the hostel! These people realised that they could not impart these values and virtues to their otherwise pampered children at home and admitting them to this hostel was the only sensible way of showing to them how the less fortunate half of society lived.

Of course, Subbanna put an end to this by politely pointing out that these public resources deserved to be poured into nurturing these poor souls, who literally had no one else for them in the world! It was most decidedly not a *finishing school* for the affluent class.

Subbanna was dedicated to maintaining hygiene across the hostel. He was seen cleaning the toilets on many an occasion. He had made a roster for each student to clean the toilet on particular days of the week.

[To be continued tomorrow]

Devi Sakamma and Jayachamaraja Wadiyar.

Goodbye, Comet C/2022 E3 [ZTF]

Pointing his finger up in the direction of the comet is the host Krishnamurthy, seated left and craning his neck is the octogenarian author and observer Dr. S.N. Prasad. Seated right is the well-known wildlife photographer G.S. Ravishankar. Others from left are, Dr. Shanthakumari, Narasimhamurthy, Mahantesh Ashok, Sarthak P. Gowda and M.B. Maahesh. Not in the picture are T. Ilavenil, Ritesh and the hostess Meenakshi Krishnamurthy.

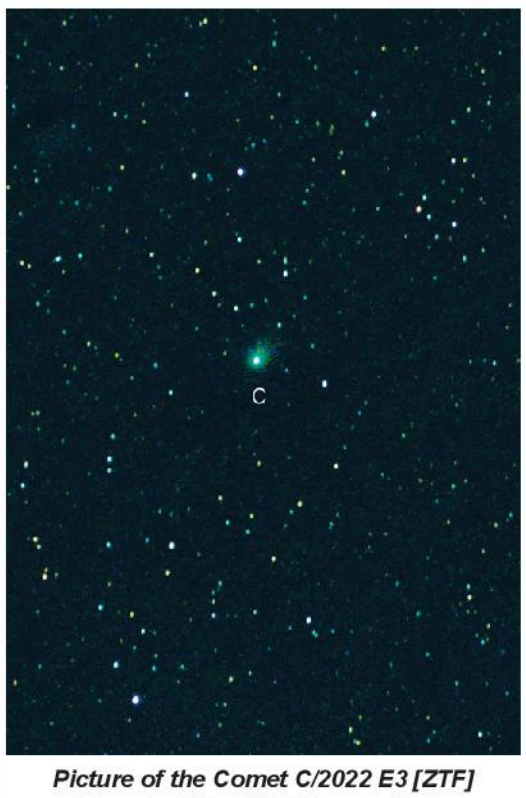
By Dr. S.N. Prasad
Amateur Astronomer, Mysuru

Mysuru, Feb. 20- Comet C/2022 E3 [ZTF] has been making the news for quite some time, though very few people have actually seen it with the unaided eye. The comet's sighting from the outskirts of Mysuru city was first reported in *Star of Mysore* a fortnight ago, on Jan. 30.

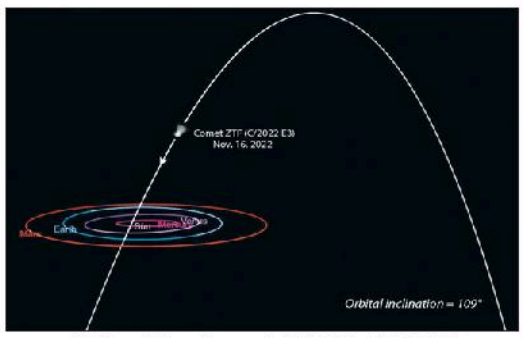
Now, on its outward journey from the solar system, after its closest approach to the Earth on Feb. 1, some of us *(see picture)* got together to get a farewell telescopic glimpse of the comet on the night of Feb. 13 at Krishnamurthy's home, not too far from the city.

Though its brightness is diminishing noticeably day by day, we were able to see it quite clearly, close to the well-known bright star Aldebaran (Rohini) in the constellation Taurus, through his Celestron 8" telescope, with a wide field eyepiece. Its precise location at that time is shown in the accompanying star chart. However, it was not possible to see it with the naked eye, though barely visible through binoculars. Again, we were not equipped to capture a presentable photograph. The picture of the comet shown below was taken around the same time by Vikas Shukla near Pune and is reproduced with grateful thanks to him.

Comets are described quite literally as dirty snowballs, made up of a mixture of dirt, water



Picture of the Comet C/2022 E3 [ZTF] taken by Vikas Shukla near Pune.



Path of the Comet C/2022 E3 [ZTF]

ice, methane, ammonia, carbon dioxide and other frozen gases. They originate in the vast 'Oort cloud' surrounding the solar system at its outer reaches, about a light-year away.

When they get close to the Sun, the frozen gases making up the head of the comet vaporise, get detached and are pushed away by solar radiation pressure to form the distinctive cometary tails pointing away from the Sun.

Two types of tails are noticeable, the straight ones being plasma (ionic) tails and the curved ones the dust tails. A recent NASA picture of Comet C/2022 E3 [ZTF] reproduced here shows both forms of tails clearly. The generally irregular and large head or 'coma' of the comet consists mainly of frozen stuff, with rocky cores.

Comets follow widely different paths around the Sun with varying periodicities, large eccentricities and almost all possible inclinations to the ecliptic belt to which planets and satellites are confined.

Short-period comets generally have periodicities of up to a few hundred years. Halley's comet is perhaps the most famous short-period comet, with a periodicity of about 76 years. In contrast, the comet of present interest appears to have a periodicity, if at all, of about 50 thousand years! This appears to be the main reason for its current popular fascination despite its difficult visibility.

Though comets are plentiful in the solar system, those that get close enough to become visible to the naked eye are quite rare. The last naked-eye comet was Hale-Bopp in 1997.

The 1965 comet Ikeya-Seki was a spectacular one and Halley's comet of 1986 was a huge disappointment in relation to it. The expected increase in brightness of a comet as it approaches the Sun or the Earth is rarely predictable with any degree of reliability, much to the annoyance of most observers, both professional and amateur.

As we bid goodbye to the current comet of our curiosity, we hope these visitors from outer space continue to entertain us, and more frequently too, despite the popular fears and myths associated with their visitations.

Lokayukta officials to visit various taluks of the district

Mysuru, Feb. 20- Karnataka Lokayukta sleuths will visit various taluks of the district from Feb. 21 to 24 and the public can meet them and submit their complaints and grievances.

During their visit, the officials will receive complaints from the public against the taluk level officials duly filled as per the Karnataka Lokayukta Act 1984 in Form 01 and 02 with necessary documents, against unnecessary delay in their works, demand for bribe and any other issues.

The Lokayukta Police Officials will receive application from the public at T. Narasipur Taluk PWD Guest House on Feb. 21, at K.R. Nagar Taluk PWD Guest House on Feb. 22, at Chamundi Guest House on JLB Road in city on Feb. 23 with respect to Mysuru City and Taluk, at Hunsur Taluk PWD Guest House on Feb. 24 from 11 am to 1 pm.

Public are requested to make use of this opportunity to initiate strict legal action against corrupt Government officials, says a press release issued by Karnataka Lokayukta Mysuru Division Superintendent.

District Kannada Sahitya Sammelana at T. Narasipur on Mar. 28, 29

Stories, poems, articles invited for souvenir before Feb. 28

Mysuru, Feb. 20 (PM&TRR)- District Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Maddikere Gopal has said that the 19th District Kannada Sahitya Sammelana will be held on Mar. 28 and 29 at T. Narasipur and writers can send stories, poems and articles to be published in a souvenir of collection of poems and stories to be brought on the occasion.

Speaking to press persons at Pathrakartara Bhavan recently, he said: "To encourage and promote young poets, authors and writers, a collection of poems and stories is being published in the form of a souvenir. Articles about the district's famous tourist spots and also about Karnataka and Kannada can also be sent to the Parishat before Feb. 28 by post to: The President, Mysuru District Kannada Sahitya Parishat, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, Mysuru.

Stating that a committee of experts will be constituted to select the contents to be published in the souvenir, he asked the writers to contact District Kannada Sahitya Parishat Manager A.G. Devaraju (Mob: 91648-37773) or Secretary M.N. Latha Mohan (Mob: 79755-47238).

District Kannada Sahitya Parishat Secretary M.N. Latha Mohan, T. Narasipur Taluk President Kannada Puttaswamy, Mysuru Taluk President A.C. Manjunath and District President of State Government Employees Association Govindraju were present at the press meet.

Prize-winners in sports

*The prize-winning students — (standing from left) **Atharva K. Gudi, M.G. Dhruthi, Diya Bheemaiah, Hansika Rakesh and Vishal Uthappa — are seen with** (sitting from left) **PEPS Administrator Karthik V. Kashyap, Senior Principal Jayashri Venkatesh and Principal V.V. Chaithra.***

Mysuru, Feb. 20- The following students of Pragathi Elite Public School (PEPS) have excelled in Badminton and athletics:

B. Diya Bheemaiah - Winner in the U-17 Singles and Doubles at the State Ranking Badminton Tournament organised by Karnataka Badminton Association in Mysuru.

B. Vishal Uthappa - Winner in the U-11 Singles, Doubles U-13 Open Badminton Tournament at Nanjangud.

Hansika Rakesh - Winner in the Singles U-11, Doubles U-13 and U-15 at Nanjangud; First place winner in cancer awareness run at Mysuru and 1st place in 3-km run at Hudikeri.

Atharva K. Gudi - Runner-up in the Open Badminton Tournament U-11 category at Nanjangud.

M.G. Dhruthi - 2nd place winner in Fitness Game held in city.

WORD OF THE DAY

Fraught

Pronunciation: FRAWT.
Meaning: Fraught means "causing or having a lot of emotional stress or worry." When fraught is used in the phrase "fraught with," it means "full of something bad or unwanted."
Origin: An early instance of the word fraught occurs in the 14th century poem Richard Coer de Lion, about England's King Richard I. "The drowmound was so hevy fraught / That unethe myght it saylen aught" is about a large fast-sailing ship so heavily fraught—that is, loaded—that it can barely sail. The use is typical for the time; originally, something that was fraught was laden with freight. For centuries, fraught continued to be used in relation to loaded ships, but its use was eventually broadened for situations that are heavy with tension, emotion, or some other weighty characteristic.
Example: "Today, campus life is much more stressful, fraught, time-stressed and anxiety-ridden. Compared to high school, college is far more academically rigorous and represents the very first time that many students have ever earned less than an A." — Steven Mintz

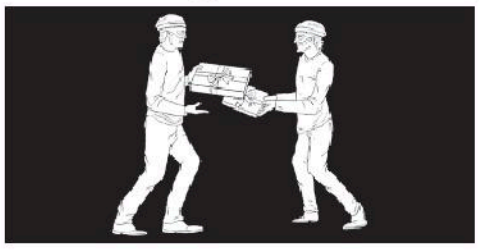
THE ODD WORD

Fanfaron

An empty boaster.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Fair exchange is no robbery



Meaning: An exchange of two things of equal value is a reasonable and honest trade.
Origin: The proverbial saying 'Fair exchange is no robbery' is first found in a place we might expect to find it, that is, an early and comprehensive collection of English proverbs. There are a few of such but, in this case, it is John Heywood's 1546 glossary A Dialogue conteinyng the nomber in effect of all the Prouerbes in the Englishe tongue: Though chaunge be no robbry for the changed case. Apart from what it means and where it originated, there's not a great deal more to be said about this proverb.

QUOTE BOX

Always remember that you are absolutely unique. Just like everyone else.—**Margaret Mead**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

WAY

CODE

Answer :Highway code.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Wanderers
6 Rope for leading horses
10 Surmounting; over
11 A little work
12 Hollywood actress Jennifer ____
14 Star Wars, initially
16 Standards
17 'Sea' in French
19 Counting-out starter
21 North American nation
22 "Air" as prefix
23 The eighth month of the year
25 Inclined head
27 Printing measures
28 Youth
29 Erstwhile
32 Sharp-eyed birds
35 Do as ordered
36 A long time
38 Hard to grasp
39 Carried out
40 Primitive calculators
42 Little sister
43 Child's hiding game (4-1-3)
45 Tonic __ - fa : the famous tonic?
46 Old Asian place
47 Rebroadcasts
48 Respect

DOWN

1 Queasiness
2 Feigned illness
3 Air Transport Auxiliary
4 Let ___ : disappoint or fail ?
5 Germinate
6 Tim ___ : British tennis star?
7 Curves
8 Large, abbr.
9 This was used to load an old type gun
13 Conversational stopgaps
15 Display Electronics Unit
17 Interfering
18 Before - "ree" anagram ?
20 Delicious
22 A proverb or a traditional maxim
24 Compass direction
26 Uber competitor
29 Cattle foodstuffs?
30 Japanese sash
31 Rises up
32 Glass in
33 Biblical high priest
34 Scheme, organisation
37 Tree of the genus Quercus
40 Vast age
41 Wading bird
43 Public Sector Unit, in short
44 Outside Air Temperature

WEDNESDAY'S ANSWER

S	P	I	V	■	A	R	F	■	M	I	N	E
P	E	R	I	■	S	A	O	■	A	R	E	A
A	T	O	P	■	T	I	R	E	L	E	S	S
T	E	N	■	B	I	N	G	E	■	S	T	Y
■	■	■	C	H	A	R	■	O	L	D	■	■
P	O	L	A	R	■	L	O	Y	A	L	T	Y
A	L	A	R	■	R	E	D	■	T	A	C	O
M	E	D	D	L	E	S	■	D	E	W	A	N
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I	N	T	E	R	V	A	L	■	L	I	E	U
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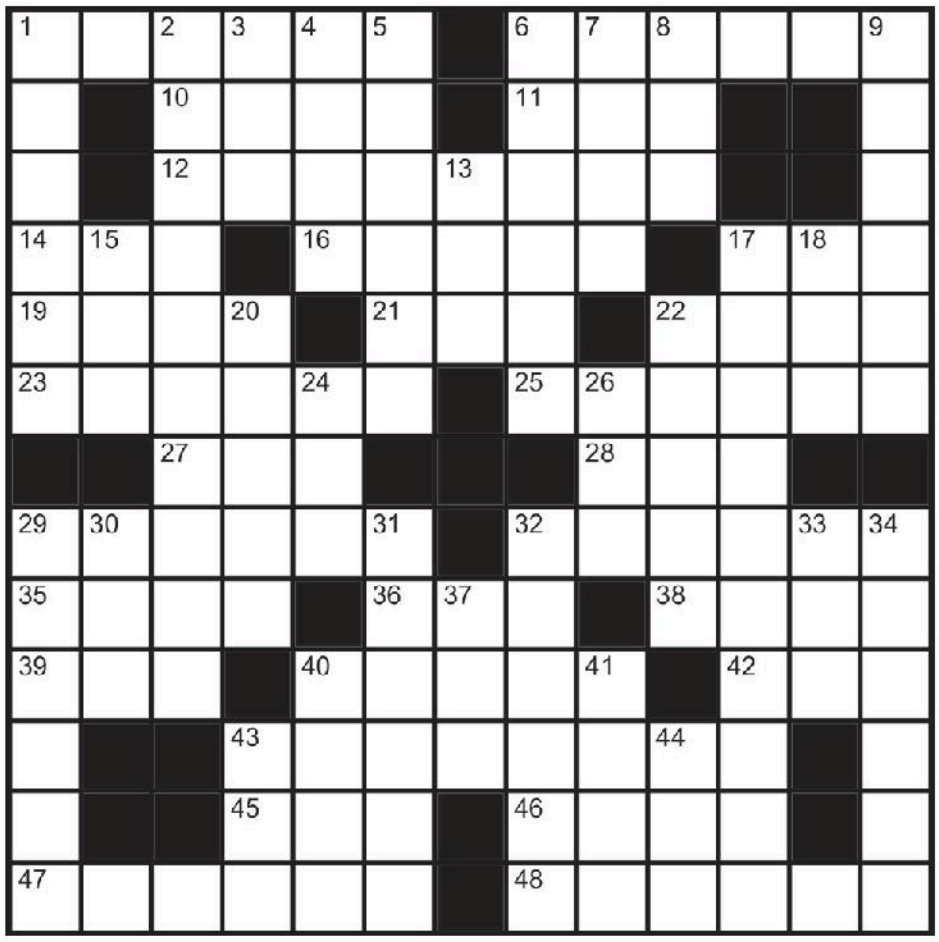

SUDOKU

	1		2			7		3
		7	5		3		6	
								1
1			4			3		
	3						1	
		5			2			8
7								
	6		9		7	2		
2		3			6		4	

Answer to previous puzzle

6	5	2	3	4	1	9	8	7
3	8	1	7	2	9	6	4	5
7	4	9	6	5	8	1	3	2
5	7	4	8	1	2	3	6	9
8	9	6	5	3	4	2	7	1
2	1	3	9	6	7	8	5	4
1	3	5	4	9	6	7	2	8
4	2	8	1	7	3	5	9	6
9	6	7	2	8	5	4	1	3

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

KIR WTSR CTY PUZX TYK GVTYK KIR ATSOX, KIR WTSR

THHTSKYZUKURB KIRSR GSR KT OGYEI GK UK.

TODAY'S CLUE: Y EQUALS U

Wednesday's Cryptoquip: If you haven't forgiven yourself something, how can you forgive others?

MOVIE LOVERS

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- **Rajkamal Theatre** — **Ph: 2423554**
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  Chaos (K) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** — **Ph: 2497199**
  Shehzada (H) - 4 Shows
- **Uma Theatre** — **Ph: 2520009**
  Day and Someone (Te) - 4 Shows

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Ant Man & The Wasp (E-3D)	(S-1)	11.00 am, 1.45 pm 7.15 pm, 9.50 pm
Pathaan (H)	(S-1)	4.25 pm; (S-2) 7.00 pm
Vaathi (Ta)	(S-2)	10.35 am
	(S-4)	1.30 pm, 4.20 pm
Kranti (K)	(S-2)	1.20 pm
SLV (K)	(S-2)	4.30 pm
Ondolle Love Story (K)	(S-2)	9.50 pm
Bari 10% Baddi (K)	(S-3)	10.40 am
Choas (K)	(S-3)	1.30 pm
Doddahatti Boregowda (K)	(S-3)	4.35 pm
Love Birds (K)	(S-3)	7.10 pm
Enkilum Chandrike (Ma)	(S-3)	9.50 pm
Shehzada (H)	(S-4)	10.40 am, 7.05 pm, 10.00 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Kranti (K)	:	10.30 am, 6.00 pm
Vaathi (Ta)	:	10.30 am, 4.05 pm, 9.15 pm
Love Birds (K)	:	10.45 am, 1.45 pm, 6.40 pm
Shehzada (H)	:	1.15 pm, 6.25 pm, 9.15 pm
Ant-Man and the Wasp (E-3D)	:	1.25 pm, 3.55 pm, 6.45 pm, 9.15 pm
Doddahatti Boregowda (K)	:	1.30 pm
Hondisi Bareyiri (K)	:	4.00 pm, 9.15 pm

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Shehzada (H)	:	9.40 am, 12.45 pm, 3.50 pm 6.55 pm, 10 pm
Love Birds (K)	:	10.00 am, 3.55 pm, 9.50 pm
Vinaro Bhagyamu Vishnu Katha (Te)	:	10.05 am
Vaathi (Ta)	:	10.30 am, 12.55 pm, 6.50 pm
Ant-man and the Wasp (E-3D)	:	11.10 am, 1.55 pm, 4.50 pm 7.40 pm, 10.30 pm
Ant-man and the Wasp (H-3D)	:	1.10 pm, 6.55 pm
Kranti (K)	:	12 noon, 6.50 pm
Iratta (Ma)	:	1.30 pm
Pathaan (Te)	:	3.25 pm
Romancham (Ma)	:	4.00 pm, 9.45 pm
SLV - Siri Lambodara Vivaha (K)	:	4.05 pm
Enkilum Chandrike (Ma)	:	6.40 pm
Christy (Ma)	:	9.30 pm
Chaos (K)	:	10:15 pm

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Shehzada (K)	:	9 am, 12.05 pm, 6.25, 10.30 pm
Ant-Man and the Wasp (E-3D)	:	10.40 am, 1.30 pm, 4.20 pm 7.10 pm, 10.00 pm
Doddahatti Boregowda (K)	:	12.25 pm
Love Birds (K)	:	12.40 pm, 6.35 pm
Kranti (K)	:	3.10 pm
Pathaan (H)	:	3.10 pm
Vaathi (Ta)	:	3:35 pm, 9.30 pm
Romancham (Ma)	:	6.35 pm
Sakuchi (K)	:	9.30 pm

INOX LIVE the MOVIE

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Shehzada (H)	(S-3)	9.50 am, 12.55 pm, 4.00 pm 7.05 pm, 10.10 pm
Ant-man and the Wasp (E-3D)	(S-1)	9 am, 11.40 am, 2.20 pm 5 pm, 7.45 pm, 10.30 pm
Love Birds (K)	(S-2)	10.15 am, 4.15 pm
Vaathi (Ta)	(S-4)	2.15 pm, 10.20 pm
SLV (K)	(S-4)	5.10 pm
Ondholle Love Story (K)	(S-4)	7.45 pm
Kranti (K)	(S-2)	12.55 pm
Pathaan (H)	(S-2)	7.00 pm
Enkilum Chandrike (Ma)	(S-4)	11.45 am

INOX Centro Mysore - Mob. : 9606976757

Ant-Man and the Wasp (E-3D)	(S-2)	11.00 am, 1.45 pm, 4.30 pm 7.15 pm, 10.00 pm
Shehzada (H)	(S-1)	10.10 am, 1.15 pm, 4.20 pm 7.25 pm, 10.30 pm
Romancham (Ma)	(S-3)	10.50 am; (S-4) 7.35 pm
Love Birds (K)	(S-3)	1.35 pm, 7.15 pm
Vaathi (Ta)	(S-3)	4.20 pm
Chaos (K)	(S-3)	10.00 pm
Bari 10% Baddi (K)	(S-4)	11.20 am
Doddahatti Boregowda (K)	(S-4)	2.10 pm
Sakuchi (K)	(S-4)	4.50 pm
Pathaan (H)	(S-4)	10.20 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15.

Raja Maarga, a great show by dancers of Mysuru

Bhushans' Academy of performing Arts and Visual Presentation, in association with Kaveri Natya Yoga, USA, presented an exclusive 'Raja Maarga,' a unique evening of dance on the compositions of Mysore Maharaja Jayachamarajendra Wadiyar at Rama-Govind Auditorium in Ramakrishnanagar recently.

The event was very beautifully conceptualised by acclaimed Bharatanatyam artistes Sreedhara Akkihebbalu, USA and Badari Divya Bhushan, Mysuru. Several renowned, acclaimed, celebrity artistes of Mysuru — Badari Divya Bhushan, Dr. Kripa Phadke, Dr. Tulasi Ramachandra, Varija Nalige, Dr. Chethana Radhakrishna, Jyothi Hegde, Sindhu Kiran, Dr. Anjana Bhushan, Gowri Priya and Padmini Upadhya — presented the exclusive pieces from the CD 'Raja Maarga' brought out by Ananya and Dr. Sreedhara Akkihebbalu.

The event was inaugurated by Dr. Vasundhara Doraswamy and Dr. Sukanya Prabhakar.

The packed auditorium witnessed one of its kind spectacular presentations by elite artistes which received thunderous applause!

—Promitha

EVENTS TOMORROW (FEB. 21)

- **Sri Ramakrishna Ashram:** Bhagavan Sri Ramakrishna Paramahamsa's 188th Jayanti, Vedic chanting, **5.15 am;** Mahamangalarati and bhajans, **5.30 am;** Special puja, **7.30 am;** Vishnusahasranama chanting, **8 am;** Bhajans, **9 am;** Reading, **10.35 am;** Mahamangalarathi, **10.45 am;** Homa, **11 am;** Prasada distribution, **12 noon;** Bhajans by Sri Sharada Samvit Bhajana Mandali, **4.30 pm;** Discourse in Kannada on 'Sri Ramakrishna's life & teachings,' **6 pm;** Sandhyarati & Bhajans, Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **7 pm.**
- **Sri Ramakrishna Jayantyotsava Samiti, Ramakrishnanagar, Sri Ramakrishna Ashram and Sri Ramakrishna Seva Sangha, Mysuru:** Adhyatmika-Chintana-Mantana Programme; Free Health Camp by Suyog Hospital, **10 am to 2 pm;** Bhajans by Padmini Vallabha Bhajana Tanda-Ramakrishnanagar, **5 pm;** Discourse on 'Vivekanandara Sahityadalli Adhyatma' by littérateur Dr. C.P. Krishna Kumar, **6 pm;** Music programme by Viveka Jagruti Balaga, Kuvempunagar, MLC C.N. Manjegowda presides, ZAK Chairman M. Shivakumar chief guest, Ramakrishna Paramahamsa Circle, Ramakrishnanagar, **7 pm.**
- **Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit and Sri Nataraja Pratishtana, Mysuru:** Endowment Programme, Vaachana Vyaakyana by students, Sri Chidananda Swamiji of Sri Hosmutt graces the occasion, Dr. SBM Prasanna inaugurates, talk on 'Vachana Sahitya - Maatu Kathe' by writer V.M. Jagadish, Parishat President M.G. Sadanandaiah presides, Sri Nataraja Sabha Bhavan, Sri Hosmutt, Shankar Mutt Road, **10.30 am.**

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PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

My Clients M/s. Askar Mechatronics Private Ltd.,(A Company Registered Under the Companies Act, 1956), Plot No.50 (P), 59 (P), 447 (P), KRS Road, Metagalli Post, Mysore-570 016 have filed a suit for **eviction and recovery of legal outstanding dues towards rental dues to the tune of Rs. 28,76,169 (Twenty Eight Lakhs Seventy Six Thousand One Hundred and Sixty Nine Only) with Interest @ 15% p.a before the Honble III Additional Senior Civil Judge & CJM, Mysore in O.S.No.76/2022.** In the said suit the Honble Court has ordered for an order of attachment before judgement in respect of the following properties of M/s. SP Ready Mix Concrete, (A Partnership Firm Registered Under the Indian Partnership Act), No.428/1, 3rd Cross, 6th Main, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, Mysore - 570 017 represented by its Managing Partner Mr. H.S Pradeep:

ITEM NO.1.: All movables such as vehicles, machineries, materials found inside the suit schedule property belonging to the Defendant. (M/s. SP Ready Mix Concrete)

ITEM NO.2: Residential property bearing no. 428, 6th Cross, Vijayanagar 1st Stage, measuring East-West 30 feet, South-East 60 feet, East 56 feet & 60.56/2 vacant land bounded on: (Owner H.S. Pradeep)

East: 398 & 399 property, West: Same Number vacant site belonging to Defendant. South: 429 Property, North: Road.

The public are hereby notified that any person or persons dealing with the above properties shall be doing it at on their own risk & cost. The properties are attached before judgement by the Honble III Additional Senior Civil Judge & CJM, Court in O.S.76/2022 in favour of my Clients M/s. Askar Mechatronics Private Ltd., (A Company Registered Under the Companies Act, 1956), Plot No.50(P), 59(P), 447(P), KRS Road, Metagalli Post, Mysore-570 016

Sd/- R.RAVI, BSc, LLB,
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Interview Timing - 11.30am to 2pm - 3.30pm to 6pm
Interview Date 21-02-2023 to 23-02-2023
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